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ATTACHMENT A TO REISSUE APPLICATION


Please amend Claim 1, at line 11, by replacing "the" (first occurrence) with --a--.

Please add new Claims 7-23 as follows:

7. A peripheral device PCB package comprising:
two stamped metal covers with a plastic frame element corresponding to each cover, each cover having a first side and a second side with a finger extending from one of said sides of each of the covers and wherein edges of the metal covers are bent to conform to the shape of the corresponding frame element and said finger is secured to the plastic frame element forming an integral unit wherein each of the plastic frame elements is injection molded around the finger; and

wherein the plastic frame element extends beyond a plane of the metal cover so that a plastic perimeter surface is exposed, thereby facilitating bonding of the two covers.

8. The package as claimed in Claim 7 wherein a plurality of fingers extend from one of said sides.

9. The package as claimed in Claim 7 wherein a plurality of fingers extend from at least two sides.

10. The package as claimed in Claim 7 wherein the fingers are embedded in the plastic frame elements.